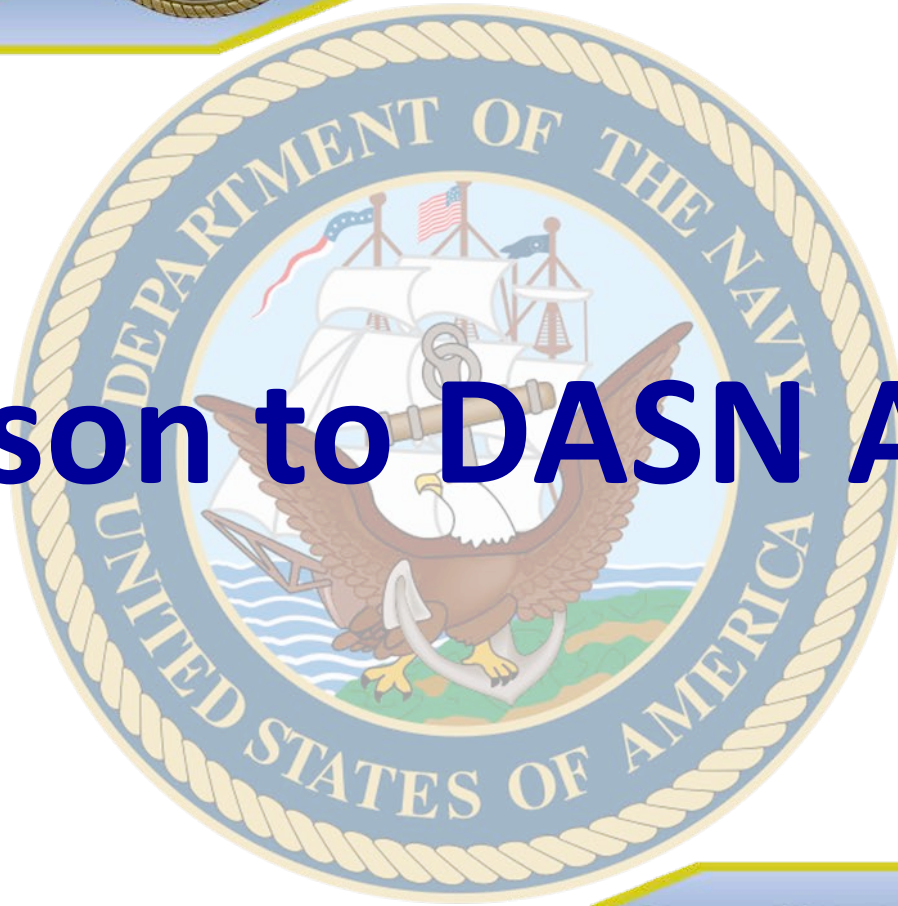




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This position was created:

- To serve as a liaison between the DON OSBP and DASN AP
- Co-located to ensure that interests of small businesses are kept in the forefront
- To allow me to be brought into last minute meetings which have the potential to impact small business



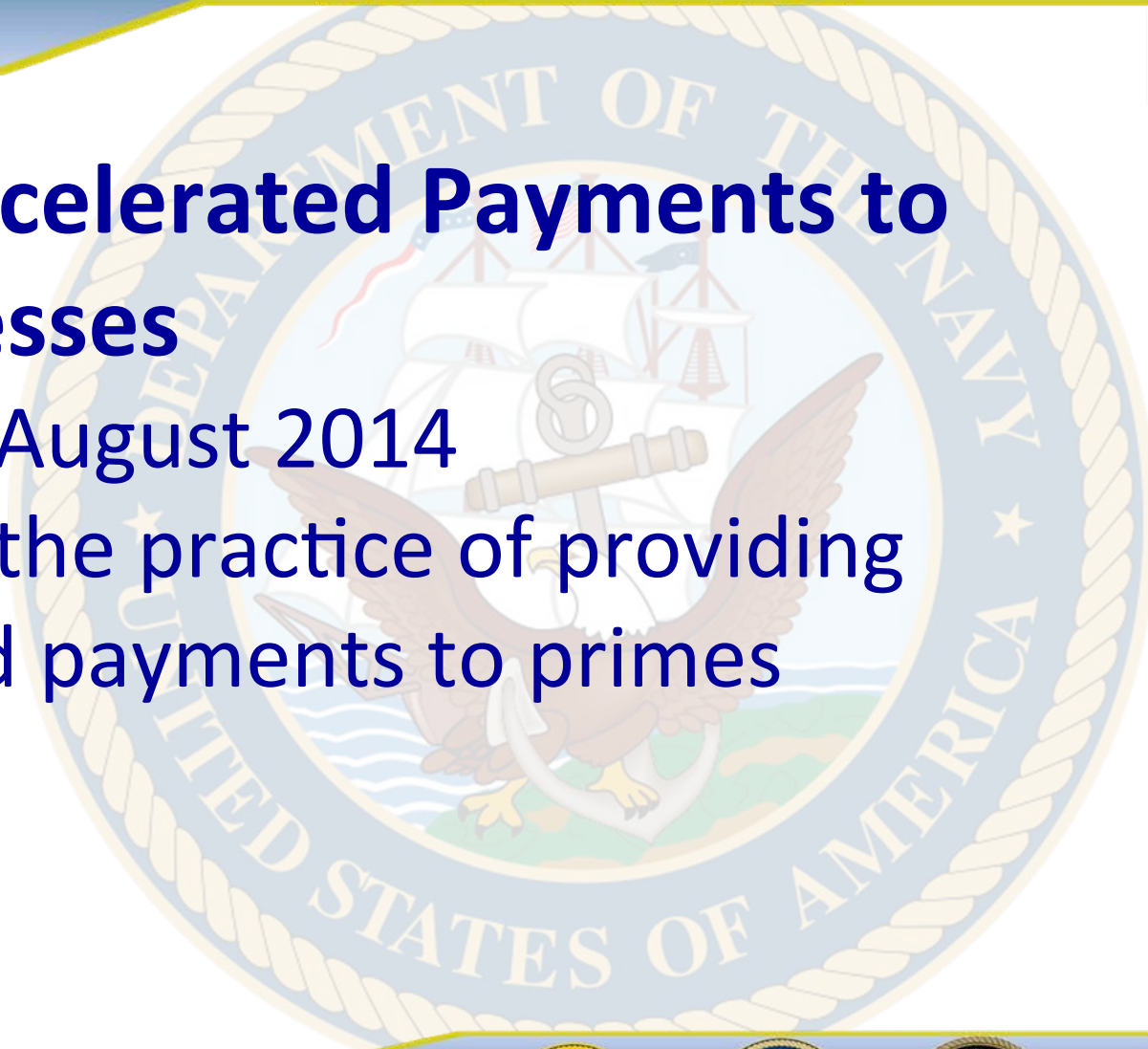
Improving Communications During Market Research Memo

- Issued 6 August 2014
- Directs Navy contracting activities to provide feedback regarding set aside determination resulting from market research process



Providing Accelerated Payments to Small Businesses

- Effective 1 August 2014
- Reinstates the practice of providing accelerated payments to primes



Providing Accelerated Payments to Small Businesses (cont'd)

- requires contractors to make accelerated payments to their small business subcontractors upon receipt of accelerated payments from the government



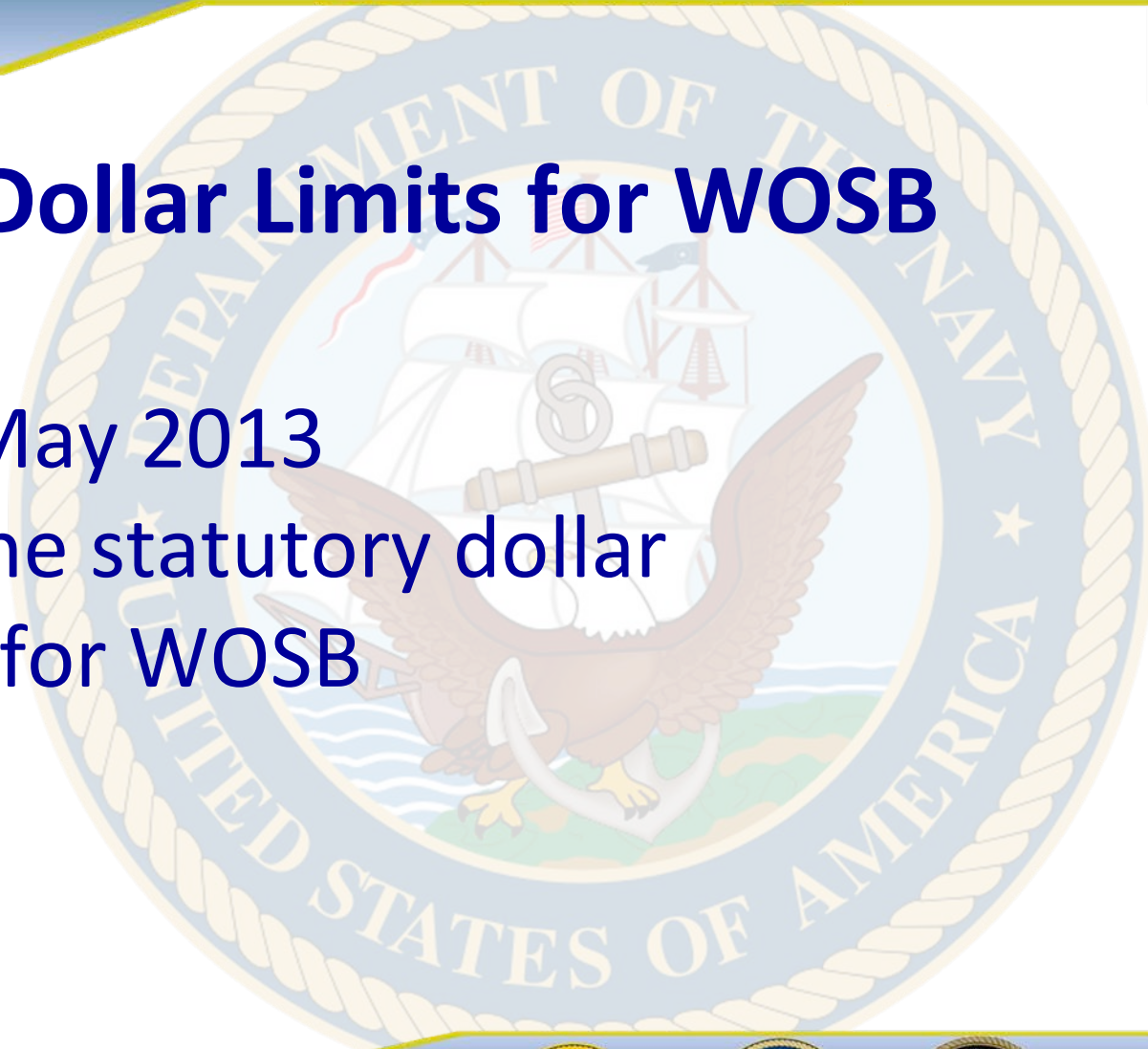
Class Deviation – Update to Accelerated Payments to Small Businesses

- Issued 18 April 2014
- Provides a list of systems capable of providing accelerated payments to small businesses



Removal of Dollar Limits for WOSB Set Asides

- Issued 29 May 2013
- Removes the statutory dollar limitations for WOSB



Removal of Dollar Limits for WOSB Set Asides (cont'd)

- Dollar limitations at Federal Acquisition Regulation 19.1505(b)(2) and (c)(2) are no longer applicable to Department of Defense solicitations and contracts



OSD Forecast Working Group

- Forecast informs vendors of anticipated contracts that are intended to be awarded
- Allows vendors to plan ahead
- Intended to be DoD-wide in one location



Better Buying Power 2.0

- Implementation of best practices to strengthen the Defense Department's buying power
- Under Improve Tradecrafts focus area, increasing small business opportunities is specifically addressed



DOD Instruction 5000

- Currently being revised
- Implements Better Buying Power Initiatives
- Reviewed to ensure that SB perspective was considered



**Policy documents [http://
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Questions?

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